

* EVENT LOCATION: FROM JUST WEST OF PERKINSTON MS NORTH TO BOND MS
(STONE COUNTY MS)

* EVENT TIME: APPROXIMATELY 710 PM TO 720 PM SUNDAY SEPTEMBER 4, 2011

* STORM CLASSIFICATION: EF-1 INTENSITY TORNADO (MAX WINDS: 90 MPH)

* BEGINNING LAT/LOG 30.7677N / -89.1647W

* ENDING LAT/LOG 30.8945N / -89.165W

* PATH LENGTH: APPROXIMATELY 9 MILES

* MAXIMUM WIDTH: 100 YARDS

* INJURIES: 1 MINOR

* NOTES: A NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE SURVEY TEAM CONFIRMED A TORNADO TOUCHED DOWN JUST NORTH OF BANKSTON ROAD WHICH IS JUST WEST OF THE TOWN OF PERKINSTON. THE TORNADO MOVED DUE NORTH AND LIFTED IN THE TOWN OF BOND NEAR THE INTERSECTION OF HIGHWAY 49 AND PUMP BRANCH ROAD. THE PATH LENGTH WAS APPROXIMATELY 9 MILES...BUT WAS NOT ALWAYS FULLY IN CONTACT WITH THE GROUND. SEVERAL TIMES ALONG THE TRACK...THE TORNADO WAS AT TREE TOP...AND RESULTED IN NUMEROUS TOPS OF TREES BEING SNAPPED OFF. NUMEROUS TREES WERE ALSO BLOWN OVER OR SNAPPED ALONG THE PATH. TWO RESIDENCES SUFFERED DAMAGE FROM THE TORNADO. A DOUBLE WIDE MOBILE HOME ON SUMRALL ROAD WEST OF PERKINSTON LOST 40 PERCENT OF ITS ROOF. THE HOME WAS ALSO SHIFTED OFF ITS BLOCK PIERS...CONSISTENT WITH EF-1 INTENSITY DAMAGE WITH WINDS AROUND 90 MPH. ONE MAN WAS INJURED IN THE HOME...SUFFERING CUTS AND ABRASIONS TO HIS ARMS. A SINGLE WIDE MOBILE HOME IN WEST WIGGINS...OFF OF COLLEGE AVE W...WAS DAMAGED WHEN A LARGE TREE FELL ONTO IT.